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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.

SMQ-082CN2/P6396CNT1 Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 09/988854-Conf. #9383 November 19, 2001 N. Abel-Jalil 2165 Applicant(s): John TELOH et al. Invention: STORAGE NETWORK DATA REPLICATOR TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Highest Claims Remaining Number Number After **Previously Extra Claims** Amendment Paid Present Rate **Total Claims** 31 31 Х Independent 4 4 X Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 Small Entity x Large Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. x The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 12-0080 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x | Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: September 1, 2005 David R. Burns Attorney Reg. No.: 46,590 LAHIVE & COCKFIELD, LLP 28 State Street Boston, Massachusetts 02109 (617) 227-7400 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No. EV419930595US, in an envelope addressed to: MS AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed July 1, 2005 (Paper No.20050626)

Applicants submit the following remarks to place the application in condition for allowance and, in the alternative, in better condition for appeal.